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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2006, time for responding has been extended to October 6, 2006, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

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